

Substitute Bill No. 535

January Session, 2009

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## AN ACT REQUIRING TRAINING FOR CERTAIN STATE JUDGES REGARDING THE CRIMINAL USE OF COMPUTERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2009) Not later than January 1,
- 2 2010, and annually thereafter, each judge of the Superior Court
- 3 assigned primarily to hear criminal or juvenile matters shall attend a
- 4 course on computer crime developed by the Judicial Branch in
- 5 accordance with this section. The Judicial Branch shall develop such
- 6 course on computer crime, which shall include information about the
- 7 use of computers with respect to child pornography and other crimes.
- 8 The Judicial Branch shall develop and offer such course with assistance
- 9 from the Connecticut Judges' Institute and shall update the course
- annually to reflect new crimes and technological advances.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	October 1, 2009	New section

JUD Joint Favorable Subst.